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TORN WITHIN & THREATENED WITHOUT

KENTUCKIANS IN THE CIVIL WAR ERA



8th Grade Touring Strategy

Overview:

KHS suggests the following two touring strategy to help maximize student learning while inside the HistoryMobile exhibition. This strategy complements a project-based experience featuring pre-visit and post-visit activities tied to Common Core standards.

Groups of up to 25 students at a time can tour the exhibit, and groups should be scheduled to rotate through the exhibit every 30 minutes.

About the Exhibit: The HistoryMobile exhibit “Torn Within and Threatened Without: Kentuckians and the Civil War Era” features eight Kentuckians ranging from the famous to the everyday citizen. Through personal recollections, primary sources, authentic artifacts and touch-screen activities, students can explore the difficult decisions Kentuckians faced during the Civil War.

Time Required: 25 minutes (for groups of up to 25 students)

Essential Resources:

- [Student Assignment Sheet](#)
- [Student Graphic Organizer](#)
- Clip Boards and Pencils (Provided by KHS)

Activity:

There are six interactive stations in the HistoryMobile that feature Kentuckians from the Civil War era. Students will rotate through the exhibit in groups of four to five. Teachers should use the [student assignment sheet](#) below to pre-assign students to a station where they will begin their exploration (It is recommended that attention be given to students who work well together. While in the exhibit, students should take notes using their [graphic organizer](#), which will be used in the post-visit activity.



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Student Assignment Sheet

Teachers should assign students to stations where they will begin their exploration.

Students will rotate to other sections at the direction of a KHS educator. There will be time for students to explore the entire exhibition.

Station 1: <i>(Henry Clay and John J. Crittenden)</i> <u>Students:</u>	Station 3: <i>(Henry Lane Stone)</i> <u>Students:</u>
Station 2: <i>(Ben Buckner and Jim)</i> <u>Students:</u>	Station 6: <i>(John Marshall Harlan)</i> <u>Students:</u>
Station 4: <i>(Elijah Marrs)</i> <u>Students:</u>	Station 5: <i>(Ellen Wallace)</i> <u>Students:</u>



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Student Graphic Organizer

Use this sheet to take notes about the HistoryMobile characters.

<i>Henry Clay & John Crittenden</i>	<i>Elijah Marrs</i>	<i>Benjamin Buckner</i>
<i>Ellen Wallace</i>	<i>Henry Lane Stone</i>	<i>John Marshall Harlan</i>